

CHAMPIONSHIPS AT STAKE

Foot Ball Supremacy in the Northwest Lies Between Iowa and Minnesota.

NEBRASKA MEN ARE MUCH INTERESTED

None of the Three Teams Has Yet Lost a Game—Lincoln Men to Meet the Minnesapolitans.

The game at Minneapolis yesterday between Minnesota and Northwestern was watched with the keenest interest by Nebraska in view of its vital effect upon the western championship.

Before the game yesterday the championship possibilities were Northwestern, Minnesota and Iowa, with Iowa a favorite because of its overwhelming defeat of Chicago and Michigan.

The Nebraska boys naturally gave all their sympathy to Minnesota for the primary reason that they themselves hope to overcome the northerners, and in case the latter secure the championship to take for themselves at least the virtual championship of the west.

Nebraska has continued the remarkable record of guarding its goal line from every foot during the season and has so far reflected unlimited credit upon Booth, the burly Princeton coach, and Tukey, the energetic manager.

There is only one misgiving which friends of the variety carry in their hearts regarding the season. That relates to the comparative lack of bulk noticeable in the Nebraska line and backs.

It is an unfortunate circumstance and greatly to the injury of foot ball among lovers of sport that there should be such frequent wrangles whenever a city team makes an excursion into the surrounding country.

The Iowa side of the case is presented in the following communication: "To the Sporting Editor of The Bee: In a game of foot ball here between the teams from Creighton university and Missouri Valley Creighton withdrew near the last of the second half on account of a decision of the umpire on Missouri Valley's side and the referee (the Creighton coach) gave Creighton the game—5 to 0.

"The umpire cautioned the Creighton players twice about the formation of their men, as given in rule 18, on page 165, and claimed they did not have two men five yards back of the line.

"Rule 29 says the referee is judge of forfeiture of the game under the rules. Now, this case does not come under rule 28 G of refusing to play or any other I can find. In rule 12 B it looks in Valley's favor. It does not come under rule 28 F.

There are some other things in rule 29 against their referee's decision.

Whether or not the Creighton team offended in the matter of formation, as maintained by the umpire, is of course a question of fact which each witness has a right to settle for himself. There is not the slightest doubt, of course, that rule 18 was wisely devised and that it should be insisted upon in play.

There was such a glare of lights and blare of trumpets at Iowa City last week as the quiet little town has not known in years and the victorious old gold sweaters with their contents of brown and bone were encircled by many loving arms.

McGovern-Broad Go in Chicago the Principal Event in Pugiliana Last Week.

Terry McGovern and "Kid" Broad were the star performers in the realm of pugilism last week, their fight in Chicago Tuesday night being an event of more than passing interest.

In the second round McGovern landed a hard right on Broad's face and the Cleveland "Kid" countered with a right swing that sent McGovern to the floor.

Speaking of McGovern, Bob Needham has a word to say which will be interesting in this connection. "McGovern is the one man all promoters of boxing shows are endeavoring to sign for matches with light weights," says Needham, "and it now looks as though the Brooklyn terror would take on a number of the 133-pounds before the winter is far advanced.

Falling in his expressed desire to secure a fight with Fitzsimmons and ignoring Corbett's challenge, Champion Jeffries and Thomas Sharkey have agreed to a match. The only proviso incorporated in the articles of agreement is that should Jeffries make a match with either Fitzsimmons or Rubin, or Sharkey a match with Rubin, it be decided before the one arranged between them.

To those who believed Sharkey was a "dead one" after the decisive defeat administered him by Gus Rubin, the information that Jeffries has taken him up as his next opponent is rather surprising.

to be a strong one. It is true that Sharkey made a splendid showing against the champion a year ago, November 3, when he stayed for twenty-five rounds with the big brawler and might have had a draw decision if he hadn't lost his head after the fight was over and fought his adversary. But since that time Sharkey has not been showing up in good form. It may be that he has been off-color since then, or it may be that when he fought Jeffries he attained the zenith of his pugilistic ability and has since been traveling the escapement. However this may be, Sharkey has in prospect the hardest proposition of his life, for the big champion has been improving wonderfully during the last twelve months, and it certainly requires an elastic imagination to consider that Sharkey has been improving any, in view of his performances.

The next boxing card in this city under the auspices of the Omaha Athletic club will probably be held Thanksgiving eve, November 23. Just who the principals will be has not yet been decided, but the club has the pick of a number of crackerjacks and a rattling good match will be made.

Young Peter Jackson, the little fighter who sprang into prominence by defeating "Kid" McCreary, the idol of Omaha, still in the city and has recovered entirely from his attack of rheumatism. It is possible that a match will be made between him and one of the several aspirants who are seeking a chance to go on with Biddy Lynch's phenom.

James J. Corbett is dividing his time now, while appearing before the footlights as the hero of a melodrama that is, according to all reports, "melo" in the extreme, and explaining his recent fiasco with "Kid" McCreary in the interesting scene. Corbett stated in Chicago Sunday night: "Some say that McCreary laid down in our fight. Suppose that he did. Could I help it? I did not know that he was going to do it, and am innocent of any and all blame as against him. Suppose that it was a fake. Am I, as they say, a poor man with the gloves than before? I want to meet Jeffries and will arrange matters so that he will not be able to get away from me. He talks of meeting Fitzsimmons, but Fitz has retired from the ring, and is no longer a challenger. Rubin is not in our class, but I am willing to let Jeffries meet him first, and then will look for a recognition of my challenge.

"Since there is so much gossip about the McCreary fight, I am willing to pass that by, for McCreary is nothing but a lightweight, and I want no credit for defeating him, but I made the best showing against Jeffries, and on this demand a return match. I do not care what the conditions are, I am willing to meet him 'winner take all,' or any other way Jeffries decides."

WAITING FOR TOURNAMENT

Third Omaha-Kansas City Shooting Contest to Be Held Last Week in November.

Omaha sportsmen are awaiting with a great deal of interest the tournament to be held in this city November 29 and 30 and December 1. Its important feature will be the third of the inter-city shoots between Kansas representing Omaha and Kansas City. These contests were inaugurated last season and the two held proved immensely popular.

The same plan will be followed as in the previous contests. Each team will be composed of ten men and each man will shoot at fifty live birds. In the shoot held ready the Omaha team has been both times victorious, and the members are determined that their good record shall be maintained.

An interesting event in connection with this shoot will be a match between Jim Elliott of Kansas City and Frank Parmelee of Omaha. They will shoot one hundred live birds for \$100 a side.

North and South—Allen and A. W. Scribner..... 261 1/2
Shelley and Ely..... 245 1/2
McDowell and Cahn..... 245 1/2
Gardner and Houlter..... 245 1/2
Gardner and Reiter..... 221 1/2
Boucher and Rockfellow..... 221 1/2
Rogers and Burns..... 221 1/2
Crummer and McNeil..... 221 1/2
Comstock and Melick..... 221 1/2
Ose and Reppel..... 221 1/2
Horn and Miller..... 218 1/2

of Crabbill's mallards will furnish a Sunday delicacy for several Omaha dinner tables today.

The shoot with Kansas City will be held November 30 and December 1 and on Thursday day there will be an open live bird shoot. This promises to attract a large number of shooters from all parts of the state. Already a number have signified their intention of participating in the tournament and the day will likely be productive of a great deal of pleasure for the numerous contestants.

Theodore Weisman has returned from a three-months' sojourn in the sandhills on the west edge of Holt county near Atkinson. The most of the time during his absence Mr. Weisman occupied his time in hunting and he had a most successful trip.

WITH THE CHESS PLAYERS

Event of Last Week the Final Round in the Season's "Masters' Tourney."

The event of the week in chess circles was the final round in the season's "Masters' tourney" before the Manhattan Chess club included last Tuesday. On the result of the game below an asterisk (*) denoted the distribution of first and second prizes, as both Showalter and Lipchuetz had won nine points and lost two before beginning play in the final round.

White—Showalter, Black—Gottschall:
1—P-Q 4, 2—P-K 3
3—Kt-K 3, 4—Kt-K 3
5—P-K 3, 6—Kt-K 3
7—R-K 1, 8—Kt-K 3
9—Q-K 3, 10—P-K 3
11—P-Q 4, 12—Kt-K 3
13—P-K 3, 14—Kt-K 3
15—P-K 3, 16—Kt-K 3
17—P-K 3, 18—Kt-K 3
19—P-K 3, 20—Kt-K 3
21—P-K 3, 22—Kt-K 3
23—P-K 3, 24—Kt-K 3
25—P-K 3, 26—Kt-K 3
27—P-K 3, 28—Kt-K 3
29—P-K 3, 30—Kt-K 3
31—P-K 3, 32—Kt-K 3

The following interesting end game study is by F. Amelung of Russia, white to play and win:
BLACK
WHITE
WHISTERS FAVOR TRUMP ECHO

Information it Conveys to Partner is Valuable and is Likely to Gain Tricks.
The trump "echo," as it is termed, says an expert whist expert, is a play whereby, on partner's lead of trumps, one can, one tells his partner that he also holds a certain number of trumps.

In 1895, in Whitst, Dr. Green of Crawfordville, Ind., advised and explained the additional use of the "echo" to show three trumps in case honors were led. After experimenting with this play, many of the best players adopted it, as they found that partners could usually tell where the trump lead of trumps was to be played.

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high banked curves. The whole thing is to cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000, Mexican.

With the waning of popularity of the bicycle in this country, there comes in its place the motor tricycle, which gives promise of becoming just as popular as wheeling. Although comparatively new, the motor tricycle has already gained a foothold in this country and before another year the choo-choo of the three-wheeler will be as familiar as the singing of the wind through the spokes of the old ordinary some ten or twelve years ago.

The recent statement of a prominent physician that long distance bicycle riding is injurious to the health, and that insurance companies will not accept policies on long distance riders is denied by C. W. Miller, the crack Chicago six-day champion rider. Miller has written to the doctor telling him that he is mistaken and says he has won six out of seven long distance races and that he is just as well now as he ever was.

A Brooklyn photographer made an interesting experiment the other day whereby he proved that he could calculate the speed of a moving automobile by taking a snapshot photograph of it. The photographer arranged to have the automobile pass over a given track. He made a number of measurements and then located his instrument. As the automobile passed him he opened his shutter twice with an interval of 1/100 of a second between the two shots. The double impression of the machine on the plate. By means of the measurements he had made he found that the distance covered by the machine in that interval was 12.8 inches.

It is said that Harry Myers, the famous flying Dutchman, and winner of the Grand Prix d'Exposition, has ridden his last race and will go into business next year. His departure will be a severe loss to the cycle path. Myers is not much over 20 years of age. He has been well known for several years and it was thought recently that he would come to this country and meet Tom Cooper in a special race. As it is now Cooper will never be able to race with the Dutchman again.

Edward Taylor is taking a well-earned rest. His season's work has been a keen disappointment to his friends and admirers. Try as he would the splendid little rider never recovered from his early fall and played second fiddle to men he ought easily to have defeated had he returned to his true form. The winter may benefit him and he may surprise them all by coming to the front again in 1901.

Alexander Winton has lowered the automobile record from Cleveland to New York, a little more than 800 miles to thirty-eight hours and thirty minutes, actual running time. The thirty minutes was the breaking of a leaf in a spring on Fifth avenue, New York. Mr. Winton's former time for the distance was forty-seven hours and thirty-four minutes, and he had all sorts of accidents on his last trip he took a longer route, but over better roads.

One of the interesting exhibits at the automobile show is one of the first steam carriages that was ever built. It was made in 1860 by Richard Dudgeon and is now owned by Frank P. Dudgeon. The machine is run by a steam engine that is fed from a boiler that is heated by a coal furnace. Since it was constructed the machine has run more than 40,000 miles and it is still in good condition.

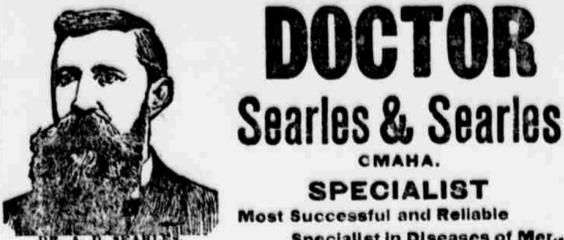
Kenneth Skinner, the premier American motor tricycle racer, attempted last week to lower his own record between New York and Boston, which is a trifle over seven hours. He hoped to cover the distance in fifteen hours or better, but did not succeed, owing to the high wind that prevailed at the time. Despite his being unable to make a new record, Mr. Skinner is satisfied that on his next attempt he will be able to put the matter where it will stay for a while and that he is no question as to his ability to do so should weather conditions be favorable.

George A. Banker, one of the greatest bicycle riders the world has ever known, arrived in New York the other day on his way home from Europe. He announced that he has forsaken the bike for the automobile. Although only 26 years of age, he has been at sport racing longer than any other man in the world, having begun in 1889, and continued at it every season, with the exception of the greater part of 1895, when he came near to death's door with typhoid fever at Nice. His first experience was at Brownville, Pa., in 1889, when he won the novice, the mile open and state championship, with Billy Taxis and Frank Lent as competitors.

Threat That Saved Her Boy.
Johnny Pecora, a little Italian boy of 2 years, fell into an abandoned well in 5th street, Brooklyn, reports a Boston Transcript. His mother found him in the level later struggling in seventeen feet of water. She was told by a correspondent, "I may be seen rolling and tumbling about every street boasting a decent pavement, vainly endeavoring to learn to ride. It is hard to imagine a more comical picture than that presented by a Filipino belligerent sweeping down in a bunch and taking possession of the popular driveway. Thereafter after dark and spin round and round under the electric lights. Racing is all the rage and before the wet season set in a well organized club had managed to build a fair track, but now the whole enclosure has one or two inches of water over it. One bicycle dealer says he has sold more than 3,000 wheels in the last year, and he is putting up a carefully designed track with

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A rope at once and the child grasped it, but she had not strength to pull up, nor could the child hold on unless his body was resting in the water. The woman screamed for help, but no one heard her and after ten minutes the child had slipped and was floating in the water. The woman rushed to the well, found a second rope, rushed to the well, found a second rope, rushed to the well, found a second rope, rushed to the well, found a second rope.
Crutch and Cane Thrown Away.
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